IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO WESTERN DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,) CASE NO.: 3: 19 CR 4
Plaintiff,) JUDGE JAMES G. CARR
v.)
VINCENT S. ARMSTRONG,) <u>MOTION TO FILE MOTION</u>) REGARDING CONFLICT UNDER SEAL
Defendant.)

The United States of America, by and through its counsel, Justin E. Herdman, United States Attorney, and Michelle M. Baeppler, Assistant United States Attorney, hereby moves this Court to allow the United States to file a motion under seal, requesting that the Court inquire into a potential conflict of interest. The specifics set forth in the motion are sensitive and raise issues of client confidentiality. The government will serve both counsel for defendants Armstrong and Lecron with the motion.

Respectfully submitted,

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